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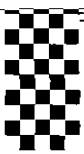
Dear Sir,

The diversity people cheer about is not new. Carmen Jones aired last month on digital TV, Harry Belafonte and Dorothy Dandridge all with other African-Americans cast members. It appears to be an African-American production till you know the history of the film it's Otto Priminger's effort. And it's the diversity that leaves African American producers film makers illustrators, stunt companies on the outside as the work benefits others communities. And leaving us with a false sense of success. President Bush cheered the efforts of Minority owned business just last week.

We need our own TV Station up and running without outside traditional help. We have enough talent to get the job done ourselves as African-Americans. Real diversity is what God has in plan for all mankind when President Bush told Americans: The freedoms you enjoy is God's Gift to all mankind, meaning we have a God given right to the airways and control of our creativity and Image we share with the World. It is our right.

Blackowned Business up with the rest of em. Sincerely
P.S. Make Radio One ride without
training wheels, it's 2003 not
1870. Make them into a American Media
Company like Time Warner is American.

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The Federal Communications Commission
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RE. Media Ownership Rule Changes

Dear Chairman Powell,

It was with great concern I learned that your office is trying to push through what appears to be the most profound changes to media ownership in this country, since the creation of the agency you now head. These changes coupled with our unwillingness to allow for sufficient public input, flies in the face of the sacrifices your brave father has made in service to our country. If the changes are as reported, you will go down in history as the man most responsible for bringing a corporate version of a Pravda style media to the shores of America. I would ask that you consider the sacrifice made by many brave young men who in many cases gave their lives to protect our freedom, before you push through these rule changes that pose a greater threat to our democracy than even al Qaeda. I hope that you take your charge seriously and that you discharge it with honor

Sincerely,

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